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LETTER RESCINDING NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on 10 January 2008 in patent application Serial Number 09/868875.

The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to the office letter dated 17 October 2006. However, Applicant had responded to the final rejection mailed 17 October 2006 with a request to withdraw the finality of that office letter.

Additionally, Applicant had an interview with the Examiner on 17 April 2007 and in Applicant's submitted confirmation of the telephone interview (paper received 17 April 2007) Applicant noted that the examiner agreed that the finality of the rejection mailed 17 October 2006 should be withdrawn. The examiner agrees with this position that the finality should be withdrawn.

In view of this evidence it is determined that the finality of the office action mailed 17 October 2007 is withdrawn. Applicant's response received 17 January 2007 is timely and the Notice of Abandonment is, therefore, hereby RESCINDED.

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